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SUPPLEMENTAL RESPONSE

The Honorable Commissioner United States Patent and Trademark Office Washington, DC 20231

Dear Sir:

This is a supplement to the response mailed this last April 19, 1994 (in answer to the office action mailed November 19, 1993). It was noted at that time that an executed Power of Attorney would be filed upon receipt of the form from the applicant. This Power of Attorney has now been received and is enclosed herewith for filing. It is believed that no additional fee or charge is due at this time to maintain the application in full force and effect. However, if any such fee or charge is due, please charge this to Deposit Account No. 08-3260.

If there is any matter concerning this supplemental response which could be expedited by consultation with the Applicant's attorney, such consultation would be welcome. The Applicant's attorney can normally be reached at the telephone number listed below.

Respectfully submitted,

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